PATENT 450106-4749 HE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Applicant(s) Hiromi YOSHINARI, et al. Serial No. 09/381,190 Filed November 23, 1999 EDITING SYSTEM, EDITING CONTROLLING APPARATUS, For AND EDITING CONTROLLING METHOD OCT 1 8 2004 Technology Center 2600 Examiner Burd, Kevin M. Art Unit 2631 745 Fifth Avenue New York, NY 10151 Tel: 212-588-0800 Mail Stop Amendment **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Dear Sir: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. ☒ No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below. This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply. Claims as Amended (1) (2)(3) (4)(5)(6)(7)Claims remaining after Highest Present extra Rate Additional amendment number Fee previously paid for * 0 x ** =27 Total claims 27 Minus \$18 (9) = \$0*** =6 * 0 x = \$0Independent claims 6 Minus \$88 (44) Total additional fee for this amendment \$ 0 If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5. If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space. *** If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space. This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$300(150) has been previously paid , or is paid herewith . This response is being filed within the _____ month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a ____ month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed. ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is attached, which covers the cost of ☐ additional claims _____ petition for extension of time. Charge \$____ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 7, 2004, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on October 7, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

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